



National Infant Immunization Week April 20th - April 27th 2013

New Britain

Tues, 4/30

New Britain Rock Cats "Immunization Records Night"

The New Britain Immunization Program and the New Britain Rock Cats Baseball Team have partnered to promote well child health. Parents who bring their child's immunization record to the stadium can have their child's record reviewed and receive a free child's ticket to the game (with each adult ticket purchased). A local pediatrician will throw out the first pitch in honor of the event. An immunization information table will be set up with educational materials for parents and caregivers, and public service announcements will be made throughout the evening.

New Britain Stadium, 230 Karbonic Way, New Britain, CT 06051

Gates open at 5:35 p.m./Game starts at 6:35 p.m.

Contact: Ramona Anderson (860) 612-2777

Bridgeport

Tues 4/30

Mother's Day Social

In celebration of Mothers Day and NIIW, the Bridgeport Immunization Action Plan will host a fun, educational social featuring presentations on your baby's vaccines and oral health. Also on hand will be light refreshments, health education materials, CIRT's Bingo and giveaways. Registration required.

Barnum Elementary School

495 Waterview Ave. Bridgeport

9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Contact: Joan Lane or Millie Seguinot (203) 372-5503

Norwalk

Sat. 4/13

Wellfest 2013

The Norwalk Immunization Program will be on hand at this health and wellness fair to provide information and answer questions about information to families. The event is hosted by the Norwalk School Readiness Providers Group with support from the United Way of Coastal Fairfield County.

St. Thomas Church Gymnasium

208 East Ave., Norwalk, CT 06855

9:00 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Contact: Pam Bates (203) 854-7728

Fri 4/26

A Baby Shower of Information

Attendees can stop by the Norwalk Health Dept. at any time throughout the day to receive information about childhood vaccines, breastfeeding and lead poisoning prevention. Free giveaways and refreshments will be provided. The event is sponsored by the Norwalk Health Dept, the Immunization Action Plan Program and WIC Program.

Norwalk Health Dept., 137 East Avenue, Norwalk, CT

9:30 am to 5:00 pm

Hartford

Thurs. 4/25

FASHION FOR SHOTS

The Hartford Immunization Program will host a fashion show featuring children sporting different vaccines while their parent describes what the vaccine protects against.

City of Hartford Health and Human Services

Burgdorf building lobby

131 Coventry Street

Hartford, CT 06103

9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Contact: Tish Ricks (860) 757-4807

Stamford

Thurs. 4/25

Celebrate NIIW

Come celebrate our children's health thanks to vaccines. The Stamford Immunization Program will be on hand to disseminate information and give-aways about immunization and will also play a video about CIRT's.

Stamford Government Center lobby

888 Washington Blvd.

Stamford, CT 06904

10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Contact: Cinthia Vera (203) 977-5098

For more information about National Infant Immunization Week, visit the Dept. of Public Health website:

www.ct.gov/dph/immunizations



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Danbury
Sun. 5/5

"DANBURY KIDS EXPO" CELEBRATES NIIW

Kathie Rocco, IAP Outreach Coordinator will be helping families understand the important role vaccinations play in keeping healthy at this fun event which both educates and entertains the entire family. It will feature hands-on activities, interactive displays and a schedule of shows. Attendees can explore an array of services and helpful ideas for today's busy families. For more information visit: www.danburykidsexpo.com

Admission: Ages 12 & up is \$10 Ages 3 - 11 is \$7 Children under 3 are free

Danbury Ice Arena
One Independence Way
Danbury, CT 06810
11:00a.m. - 4:00p.m.

Contact: Kathie Rocco (203) 730-5224

Naugatuck Valley
Sat. 4/27

Griffin Hospital Baby Fair

Join us for a fun day featuring over 30 exhibitors including door prizes, and tours of the Childbirth Center throughout the day. Attendees can register by calling 203-732-7595. Attendees who preregister will be entered into a free drawing but walk-ins are welcome. The Valley's Immunization Coordinator, Elizabeth Green will be on hand with immunization information and give-aways.

Griffin Hospital
130 Division St, Derby 06418
10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Contact: Elizabeth Green: (203) 881-3255

Story Hour

The Naugatuck Valley Immunization Program will read a book about the importance of immunization and provide immunization information and give-aways for parents and children.

Wed. 4/24

Ansonia Public Library
53 South Cliff St.
Ansonia, CT 06401
10:00-11:00 a.m.

Fri. 4/26

Beacon Falls Public Library
10 Maple Ave.
Beacon Falls, CT 06403
10:30- 11:00 a.m.

Contact: Elizabeth Green: (203) 881-3255

Waterbury
Fri 4/19

Celebrate NIIW

"The Flu and You" starring Influenza

Reading fun with parents and children, promoting the importance of timely infant immunization, free children's book for each participant, refreshments provided.

WIC Satellite Office
232 North Elm Street Waterbury, CT 06702
10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Contact: Randy York (203) 346-3907

4/20-4/26

"Immunization. Power to Protect"

The Immunization Action Plan Program will host informational tables throughout the Waterbury Health Department, including the main WIC office and the clinical services waiting area. Short, spontaneous interactive activities such as reading aloud and guessing games (English and Spanish) will be conducted throughout the day. Immunization staff will be on hand to check immunization records, answer parent's questions, and discuss vaccine safety.

City of Waterbury Department of Public Health
One Jefferson Square Waterbury, CT 06706
During WIC business hours

Contact: Randy York (203) 346-3907

Hamden
Fri. 4/19

Hamden's Spring Kid Fest

All Hamden residents with children 5 years or younger are invited to join the West Haven Area Immunization Coordinator during Hamden's Kid Fest at the Keefe Center. Bring your child's immunization history to check if they are up-to-date with their vaccinations while having fun celebrating The Week of the Young Child! Be prepared to have a blast and take home lots of freebies! For more information go to www.hamdenkids.org or call (203) 777-2610.

Keefe Community Center
11 Pine Street Hamden, CT
5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Contact: Christine DePierro-Gacek (203) 937-3564

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